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SUBJECT: LIBERIAN DELEGATION AT THE 63RD INTERNATIONAL LABOR
CONFERENCE (ILC)

REF: MONROVIA 3472, MONROVIA 3658

1. DIRECTOR OF LAMCO'S INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS BURGESS HOUSTON
CAME DOWN FROM YEKEPA TO DISCUSS SUBJECT CONFERENCE. EMBASSY
HAD BEEN PREVIOUSLY INFORMED THAT HE WOULD BE THE VOTING DELEGATE
FOR EMPLOYERS. HOWEVER, AT THE EMBASSY HOUSTON INFORMED E/C
COUNSELOR THAT HE STILL DID NOT KNOW WHETHER HE WOULD BE THE
VOTING DELEGATE. HOUSTON SAID THAT THE OTHER DELEGATE
REPRESENTING EMPLOYERS IS JOHN COOPER, MANAGING DIRECTOR OF THE
RUBBER PLANTERS ASSOCIATION, WHO HAD ALREADY LEFT FOR GENEVA.
ATTEMPTS TO LEARN FROM MINISTRY OF LABOR SOURCES AS TO WHO WOULD
BE DESIGNATED AS THE EMPLOYERS' VOTING DELEGATE WERE OF NO AVAIL.

2. E/C COUNSELOR EMPHASIZED TO HOUSTON THAT U.S. DECISION
REGARDING ITS 1975 LETTER OF INTENT TO WITHDRAW WOULD BE STRONGLY
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INFLUENCED BY WHAT OCCURS AT GENEVA. AFTER THE CRUCIAL ISSUES
WERE EXPLAINED TO HIM, HOUSTON STATED THAT HE WAS IN FAVOR OF
U.S. POSITION. HOWEVER, HE CONFESSED THAT ALTHOUGH HE CAN VOTE
AS HE PLEASES, HE WOULD NOT LIKE TO EMBARRASS PRESIDENT TOLBERT
BY TAKING POSITIONS ON ISSUES CONTRARY TO THAT ADOPTED BY THE
GOVERNMENT DELEGATE. HE WAS GIVEN PAPER OUTLINING U.S. POSITION
WITH THE REQUEST THAT IT BE SHARED WITH COOPER.

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